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Response to Office Action of April 6, 2004

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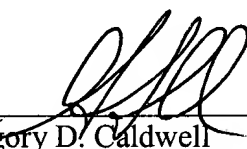
Remarks

In response to the Office Action mailed April 6, 2004, Applicants elect Claim Set I, which includes claims 1-54 without traverse. Claims 55-68 have been canceled. In view of the election to the restriction requirement made, it is respectfully submitted that pending claims 1-54 are in condition for allowance, and such action is respectfully solicited. Please charge any shortages and credit any overcharges to our Deposit Account number 02-2666.

Respectfully submitted,
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